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SUBJ: LOPEZ BRAVO TO RABAT

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1. SPANISH FOREIGN MINISTER LOPEZ BRAVO ARRIVED RABAT MARCH 26 TO BEGIN DAY OF TALKS WITH GOM FOREIGN MINISTER BENHIMA, WHO WAS AT AIRPORT TO MEET HIM. ACCORDING TO MFA COMMUNIQUE RELEASED MARCH 24 IN RABAT, TWO MINISTERS ARE TO HAVE " SEVERAL WORKING MEETINGS," IN CONTEXT OF THEIR " REGULAR CONTACTS."

2. CONVERSATIONS WILL CERTAINLY INCLUDE SUBJECT OF FISHING COOPERATION BETWEEN " PRIVATE SECTORS" OF TWO COUNTRIES CALLED FOR BY JOINT STATMENT ISSUED AT CONCLUSION OF FISHING TALKS HELD MARCH 9-13 (REFTEL). ACCORDING TO SEMI- OFFICIAL GOM MEDIA, MEETING FOLLOWS REJECTION BY GOM OF SPANISH NOTE EXPRESSING " FORMAL RESERVATIONS" OF GOS AT GOM' S UNILATERAL EXTENSION OF TERRITORIAL LIMITS TO 12 MILES AND EXCLUSIVE FISH-
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ING ZONE TO 70 MILES. ALONG SAME LINES, SEMI-OFFICIAL DAILY
"LE MATIN" OF MARCH 26 SAYS CONDITION OF TALKS* SUCCESS IS
SPANISH RECOGNITION OF GOM'S RIGHT TO PROTECT SOVEREIGNTY.
THIS WILL OPEN WAY, SAYS "LE MATIN," FOR SPANISH-MOROCCAN
RELATIONS TO "TAKE ON HARMONIOUS CHARACTER AGAIN".
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